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APPROVAL OF A CLASS 2 PERMIT MODIFICATION REQUEST FOR THE CLOSURE
PLAN FOR UNITED STATES MARINE CORP CAMP PENDLETON FACILITY, SAN
DIEGO COUNTY, CALIFORNIA, EPA ID NO CA 2170023533

Dear Ms. Dangel:

The Department of Toxic Substances Control (DTSC) has completed its review of the proposed Class 2 permit modification requested originally in a letter dated September 15, 1995 from DTSC to Camp Pendleton. This request modifies Camp Pendleton's current Hazardous Waste Facility Permit issued on June 27, 1985.

The permit modification requested is hereby approved to incorporate the document titled "Final Resource Conservation and Recovery Act Closure Work Plan" into the Hazardous Waste Facility Permit.

In accordance with the California Code of Regulations, title 22, section 66270.42, Camp Pendleton sent a public notice of the proposed modifications to all persons on the facility's mailing list and the relevant appropriate entities of state and local government on October 5, 2006. The notification was also published in the Camp Pendleton Scout newspaper on October 5, 2006.

In accordance with the California Code of Regulations, title 22 section 66270.42(b)(5), the public was provided with a 60-day period to comment on the modification request. During this period no comment was received by DTSC from the public.

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In accordance with the California Code of Regulations, title 22 section 66270.42(b)(4), a public meeting was held to allow the public to comment on the modification request. The meeting was held at Camp Pendleton on October 24, 2006. One member of the public attended this meeting but made no comment.

Upon review of the proposed modification, the Department of Toxic Substances Control (DTSC) classifies this modification as a Class 2 permit modification according to the California Code of Regulations, title 22, division 4.5, chapter 20, article 4, appendix I. Based on the information that the facility submitted in the original permit modification request, DTSC hereby approves the Class 2 permit modification request in accordance with the California Code of Regulations, title 22, section 66270.42. DTSC has prepared a Notice of Exemption for this Class 2 Permit Modification Request for compliance with the California Environmental Quality Act. The Notice of Exemption will be filed with the State Clearinghouse, Governor's Office of Planning and Research. Please include the modified closure plan into your approved Hazardous Waste Facility Permit.

DTSC's approval of the Closure Plan is pursuant to the California Code of Regulations, title 22, section 66270.42. The Closure Plan has been incorporated into the Permit by reference. Although the operating portions of the Permit have expired, the conditions of the Permit are enforceable until DTSC approves a Certification of Closure.

The action constitutes a permit decision under the California Code of Regulations, title 22, section 66271.14. It will become effective on July 27, 2007 unless the permit decision is appealed. Please refer to the enclosed notice for appeal procedures.

If there are any other questions or concerns regarding this letter, please contact Steve Rounds, at (818) 551-2188.

Sincerely,

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